

19 October 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR:

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SUBJECT: Claim for Back Pay

REFERENCE: "'Hold' on Back Pay Claims"  
FEDERAL EMPLOYEE'S NEWS DIGEST  
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1. This memorandum is in regard to the referenced article on the General Accounting Office's decisions which held that Federal employees assigned to higher grade jobs for more than 120 days were entitled to back pay, inasmuch as these could be constituted as temporary promotions. A copy of this article is attached.

2. On 20 January 1976 I was assigned as a GS-5 Secretary-Steno to a GS-6 slot at the [REDACTED] in the Near East Division of the DDO. I held that position until 21 July 1976 when I transferred to [REDACTED] Office of Security. During that time my co-worker, in a GS-6 slot, went on maternity leave for approximately two and a half months. For a few weeks of this time I covered her position as well as my own.

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3. The General Accounting Office's decision would definitely be advantageous to me. I respectfully request your advice and guidance on making a claim.

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Attachment: referenced article